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THANKSGIVING RAIN ONE INCH OR MORE

Can anyone think of anything better than a good rain for the Hamlin country? It is not a "boomer" but a dandy nice fall and better than one inch.

It began raining (as everybody knows) about noon, Tuesday and gently fell all Tuesday, Tuesday night, and as we type this on Wednesday afternoon, the total fall has passed considerably over one full inch. The finest of fine wheat, especially where wheat has come up. And there is quite a little wheat up in some parts of the county.

The late rain has caught a little cotton yet, unpicked, but some of it will not open till after a hard frost and freeze.

The slow, gentle rain is fitting in nicely to the plowed fields, and there are many acres turned despite continued dry weather.

Is Your Name On The Red Cross Roll Call?

Have you looked over the list of more than 150 names on the Hamlin Red Cross Roll Call? Did you see your name there? Don't you think Hamlin community has responded creditably in this noble method of providing funds for the distress that surely comes to people? Half of the funds remain in the local community to be used where dire need is present. So if anyone who has not contributed to the Red Cross, you can do so yet.

Charles Prater Elected Member of Boys' Club

Charles Prater of Hamlin, who is attending John Tarleton College in Stephenville, Texas, has recently been elected to membership in the S. S. T. S. Club, boys' social club at that institution, for the year, 1939-1940.

Club members to all social clubs at Tarleton College are elected according to strict scholastic and disciplinary standards, as well as to personality and character traits.

Each social club is permitted to have two social functions during the school year. These functions may include one dance and a party, picnic, or dinner. The club sponsor, who is a faculty member of the institution, is required to be present at all club meetings and to chaperone and advise club members.

Mrs. Fred Carpenter and son Tommy, returned Tuesday from Leonard where they had attended the 60th Wedding Anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, which was held in their home in Leonard Monday. Eight children were present to celebrate this happy occasion with their parents.

CLYDE L. GARRETT IN HAMLIN WED.

Congressman Clyde L. Garrett spent Wednesday in Hamlin visiting friends and meeting appointments.

Mr. Garrett was a guest of the Rotary Club and following a very fine Thanksgiving address on the program by Minister Jackson of the Church of Christ, he was induced to say a few words. Among the many interesting expressions he gave was one that he thought there was hardly a slight chance for this nation to get into war in the present day conflict. He seemed to be extra highly pleased about the new neutrality law passed in the extra session of Congress.

Mr. Garrett was perhaps the main key man in getting Hamlin allotment of WPA funds to build our great lake. He said he hoped it would rain and rain till all the fields and the lakes are brim full.

Mr. Garrett expressed the hope that he could make a formal visit to Hamlin later and address an audience of business men and women and talk with farmers. He is greatly interested in the farm situation that is prevailing in his district.

Hamlin Lodge Men At Waco Meeting

J. A. Harden and W. L. Cash left Sunday for Waco, Texas, where each will attend a meeting of the committee on work of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Texas, beginning Monday, November 27, and extending through the week of Dec. 2nd, then Companion Harden will remain over for Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 4th and 5th and attend the 90th Grand Annual Convocation of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Texas, being a representative to Grand Chapter from Hamlin Chapter No. 310 R. A. M.

By W. E. Benson, Sec'y.

Contractors Busy Laying Water Mains

The Veder Construction Company, who got the contract to rework and expand Hamlin's water mains, is getting the work under way rapidly this week.

The new eight inch piping is taking the place of the smaller lines and several streets are getting ample water connections now that have been shy of water, especially for fire protection in the past.

The company has a good outfit of machinery and nothing but continued wet weather will hold up the completion of the job.

The Herald has a nice post card from Mr. and Mrs. Marietta, who are up in Toledo, Ohio, seeing the sights; and one of the sights was a big football game between Notre Dame and Southern California.

Thanksgiving Services Sunday Night Voted Best

The Baptist Church Sunday night was crowded with the most attentive and apparently the most appreciative audience on such an occasion ever assembled in Hamlin.

The Theme for the evening was "Praise and Thanksgiving" by Carrie B. Adams, a copywritten song arrangement. The regular choir of the church, under the direction of Mrs. W. C. Russell, with Forrest Greenway, Pianist, and the assistance of Mrs. Maberry, Travis Dean and Mr. Caffey, soloists, was unusually attractive. They had spent much time in practice, and each and every part of the program added new and meaningful features.

All four of Hamlin's church organizations, represented by Minister V. W. Jackson of the Church of Christ, Rev. Dan Jones of the Nazarene Church, Rev. John W. Hendrix of the Methodist Church and Rev. J. Henry Littleton, had parts on the program. The chief talk of the evening was delivered by Rev. Jones and although short, it met with the hearty approval of every one present. The entire services were acclaimed the best, ever in Hamlin. THANKSGIVING GIFT TO CHRIST. One year or so ago, Hamlin people

decided that the local charity situation was handled in a haphazard manner, which allowed some unworthy persons to get aid where not needed, and some to go without help.

The old plan also encouraged irregular charity gifts and a continuous drag on the business men and establishments of the town.

The Community Chest is now composed of the pastors of the four churches, the City Secretary, City Marshal, and one member of the local Red Cross as the investigating and dispensing committee. The funds they have to handle is not large but permits some aid to extreme cases.

The Community Chest collection is taken at each Thanksgiving service, and the offerings last Sunday night amounted to \$70.00. This was better than last year by nearly ten dollars. It should have been double that amount this year.

Wonder if there are yet others in this community who would like to chip in a little money to be added to that relief fund. Any pastor or any one of the committee will gladly see that it goes into the proper treasury.

METHODIST CHURCH

JNO. W. HENDRIX, Pastor

Church School opens its session at 9:45 a. m. There is a class to suit all sizes and ages. Shall we be looking for you?

Morning Worship features a good size choir of good singers rendering select hymns. The pastor will speak, using as his subject, "As The Prophet Sees It." Last Sunday he was interested in the center of Christianity. This Sunday in what to do about it. You might like it! 11 a. m., please.

Evening Worship sports a young people's choir. It is the popular service of the day. It endeavors to be free, informal and a service of good fellowship. The pastor will use as his subject, "The Cure For The Hesitation Waltz." The road is just full of people who really expect some time to dig in; but have waited, are now waiting.

Young People will meet in their session of separate worship at 6:45 p. m. The church has the making of an important service of this. If you are young, not elsewhere engaged, your presence is desired.

NEW PASTOR MAKES HIS BOW!

Yes, we are here; are now settled in the comfortable parsonage where we will be at home to all who stand in need of our services. We have already spent one Sabbath in the local Methodist church, much to our pleasure. The study will be established in the church and the office hours will be 8:30 to 11 a. m. And our office will be established in the parsonage. If you need us either phone or come to see us. It is our keen desire to be of service to our people—to those in need—day or night.

It is our desire to become close friends to our people. We are quite as anxious as you; maybe we are as lonely as you are. Whatever home we have you will help us make it. We appreciate the neat, comfortable house you have furnished for our use and comfort; and now we would ask you to make every effort to be our friends. We assure you we will do all we can to cultivate such a relationship. Be patient with us in our effort to learn you—to know your name and call it. We hope to be in your home sooner or later, to meet the whole family. Kindly cooperate with us to these ends.

JOHN W. HENDRIX,
Methodist Pastor

SENATOR SHEPPARD PREDICTS PUERTO RICAN GIBRALTAR

By Federal Service Syndicate

Washington, D. C.—Approval of War and Navy Department plans for strong defense fortifications in the Caribbean for defense of the Panama Canal and the Monroe Doctrine was expressed here today by Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas in a special interview on the U. S. Possession of Puerto Rico.

Senator Sheppard pointed out that Puerto Rico is the mainstay in defense plans for that area, and that when constructions now projected for Puerto Rico are completed, it will, according to competent authorities, be a "Gibraltar" of the Caribbean for defense of the entire area.

According to official testimony, Senator Sheppard pointed out, planes from the Island base will be able to scout far out to sea, giving hours of advance warning of any attempted invasion. In addition, the Island will serve as a valuable supply base for warships, it was pointed out.

"In times such as these, the necessity of adequate defense is appreciated by everyone," Senator Sheppard declared. "Adequate defense will serve as a warning to anyone who might have an idea about invading the Americas, and might well serve to keep us out of war."

Commenting on the economic condition of Puerto Rico, Senator Sheppard pointed out that much has been done to improve



SEN. SHEPPARD

tions on the Island since it came under the American flag after the war with Spain, and that the Islanders have taken rapidly to American ways.

While the Island is currently undergoing an economic crisis, he pointed out that much progress has been made since it became a part of the United States, and predicted that Congress will render all reasonable assistance in ironing out its present difficulties.

"The Puerto Ricans are now American citizens, and are due every consideration," he declared. "We should deal with them as Americans just as we do with our people on the main."

ERNEST THOMPSON USES PLAIN TALK

Upholds Trucks While Criticizing Railroads

"The Railroad Commission has just been served with an injunction, obtained by the rails of Texas, in which the Railroad Commission of Texas is enjoined from putting into effect the order removing the differentials on freight rates within the State of Texas.

"This order would have saved the shippers of Texas about \$600,000.00 a year. It was to have been effective November twentieth.

"It is interesting to note that the truck lines of Texas did not join in the request for the injunction. Therefore, the differentials in freight rates have been removed on shipments by truck.

"It is interesting, also, to note that by this action the rails are denying themselves the good will and the additional business that would have come to them, in my opinion, by the removal of the differentials. In my opinion, it means that the rails lose the business to the trucks, because the removal of the differentials in the territories affected means a saving of about fifteen per cent.

"I have just noticed in a bulletin issued by the railroads that the average speed of a freight train is about sixteen and six-tenths miles per hour. Thus, with the rails moving slower and charging more, the business would naturally go to the trucks. Faster transportation at cheaper rates is what they want and that is what gets the business.

"Progress has never been made by injunction and law suits. The railroads certainly have the right to go to the court house and test the fairness of our order, and I am not objecting to that at all. It is proper and they have a right to do it. I am only pointing out that the trucks did not ask for delay in the removal of the differentials and in my opinion that will get the business while the rails are suing.

"As a matter of fact, the railroads, through the years, have tried to hold back the truck business by the fostering of the very unfair 7,000 Pound Truck Load Limit Law in Texas. That law should be repealed and the load limit in Texas for Trucks set at comparable load limits as are used in our sister states, where they are allowed to carry three or four times as much as the Texas law permits. The 7,000 pound load limit in Texas is simply a detriment to the transportation progress of Texas and is a penalty on the producer and customer alike. The public should be given the full benefit of our good highways. The highways of Texas are as good as the highways of Oklahoma and there is no reason to keep the 7,000 pound load limit in Texas."

Little Miss Lena Lou Armstrong, age 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Armstrong, is dangerously ill in the Sweetwater Hospital (report as of Tuesday). She took ill on Thursday of last week and was taken to the hospital on Sunday and two special nurses are with her. Her trouble is peritonitis and on Tuesday the cause had not been determined. A blood transfusion was given Monday night.

If you live near Hamlin you should keep the Herald coming.

PIED PIPERS CLOSE FAIRLY GOOD YEAR

Well, it is all over for the Pied Pipers. They tackled the Anson Tigers last Friday night and let the Tigers have the game to the tune of 33 to 6.

The 10A district contest is over as far as the Hamlin team is concerned. They had a fairly successful year, winning all home-played games except one.

They lost all games played off their home field.

Here is the report on the last game of the season for the Pipers:

Giles scored three touchdowns for the winners, sprinting 25 yards on the night's longest scoring run; Pearce passed to Boyd for another tally, and Holland went across for the fifth. Giles, Farris, and Martin converted the points.

Lasseter, center, scored the Hamlin touchdown.

Anson gained 309 yards and lost 23 rushing, Hamlin gained 71 and lost 10. The Tigers completed two of five passes for 43 yards, Hamlin nine of 26 for 98 yards. Hamlin averaged 32 yards, Anson 30, on punts. The Tigers were penalized 3 times for 45 yards, Hamlin twice for 30. First downs were Anson 21 and Hamlin 9.

Score by periods:
Anson 6 13 0 14—33
Hamlin 0 0 6 0—6

Lineups:
Hamlin — Walton and Wilemon ends; Fudge and Barrow, tackles; Barton and Kelly, guards; Lasseter, center; Ellison and Johnson, halves; Nicholson, quarter; Ivy, full.

Anson—Boyd and Thurman, ends; Beauchamp and Rumfield, tackles; Greer and Martin, guards; Jones, center; Giles and Pearce, halves; Ball, full; Holland, quarter.

Marvin Carlton Makes : McMurry Honor Roll

Among the thirty-two students who made the mid-semester honor roll at McMurry College, was Marvin Carlton of Hamlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Carlton.

The roll was released through the registrar's office last week. Points are allotted: A, 12; B, 9; C, 6. Carlton made a total of 63 points.

—McMurry News Service

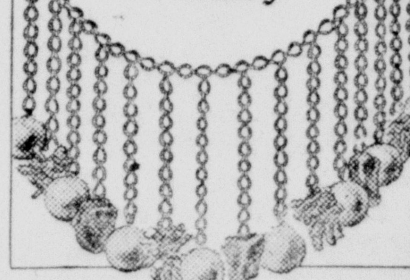
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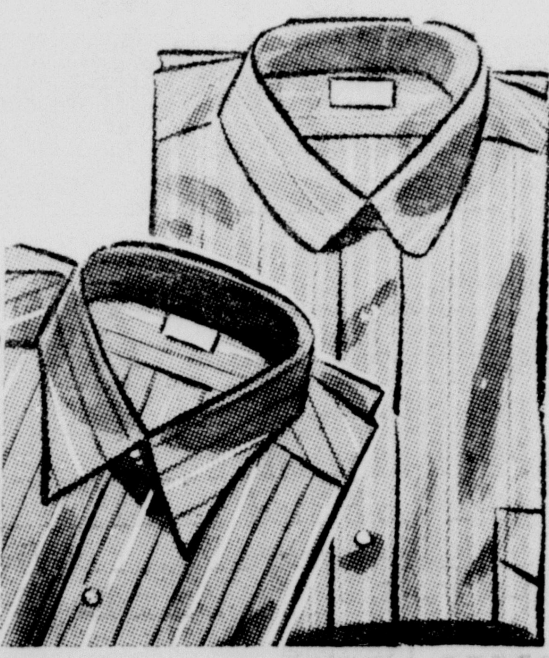
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Theme of the Week

"IT IS A GOOD THING

To give thanks unto the Lord, and to sing praises unto thy name, O Most High"
—Psalms 92-1

ANOTHER THANKSGIVING DAY

America has been "Thanksgiving minded" this year, and instead of having one great day, it has been a week of services, and observances.

This Thursday is Hamlin's Thanksgiving, and in reality nearly everybody has had two days of "Off".

A nation that can be thankful can not be one that will impose its power on some weaker people. A person who does not occasionally have a deep humble feeling of thankfulness, has dropped below the natural human instinct. Great men and women and great nations are not made that way by material things, but by the spirit that has been inculcated within during the generations that have passed. The spirit of those European peoples on the autumn colored shores of New England of 1621 still lives and motivates the 130 millions of human souls in the United States in 1939. One can not stop and listen to a program of praise and Thanksgiving without being impressed. And the thing that makes a people great is that within their hearts and ideals. There has been planted that some-

thing within that is akin to God, the Creator, and once it is felt it grows and permeates every adjoining circle. The world conditions in many lands this season is one thing that calls Americans to the penacle of gratitude and makes every one conscious of their lot in a free and bountiful country.

THE COTTON SITUATION

The Herald carried last week considerable information about the Cotton Farm Program.

This week we have a lengthy article from the Jones County Agricultural Secretary—too much for a short Thanksgiving Week to publish. It will have full position next week, maybe, just before the county votes on continuation of Cotton Control on December 9th.

It is quite evident that the world is able to produce far more cotton than the uses now can take up.

Already many farmers have quit cotton production altogether, and are enjoying better living conditions and prosperity than in the old cotton days.

Ride the roads over all Texas and the importance of cotton is evident. Cotton is a poor man's friend and until the poor family can find something else to live upon they must have cotton or go on relief.

The minds of this nation are on "How to Use More Cotton". Science may yet find that cotton products will make good building materials or form the base. Cotton is man's base for clothing, but the poorest clad people in the world are those who produce cotton—that is not quite so true now as a few years ago—for the poorest can not get lands to reside upon to make cotton.

Whether the subject is cotton or corn, wheat or what-not—hogs or hominy, we believe their use to humanity will lessen until we get away from the \$ mark. If farm products could be produced abundantly for home consumption instead of increasing a bank account there would be more happy homes in the nation, with a place to live and plenty of clothing, bread and meat.

The struggle keeps on between those who have and those who have not—it has always been that way—but the times may come when the "haves" become poor because they have too much. Where is the mind that knows absolutely what must be done about our present economic situation?

A covered dish lunch was served to the following: Mmes. Raymond Martin, Clark, Milliwee, Klipper, Misses Eileen Booker, Mamie Carol Smith, Jewell Hipp, and Sally Bell Klipper.

The sedate judge rouses himself to say:

"Motion of the plaintiff for leave to file the third amended petition to the first amended original petition is hereby granted."

Memories . . .

Mrs. Grover Starkey, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Starkey, Mrs. Bill Martin and son, and Miss Charlotte James, all of Honey Grove, have been visiting in the home of W. J. Carter and family and other relatives near Hamlin.

CHICKEN MINDED IN JONES COUNTY

(By GDT—Over The County)

Over 700 chickens were culled near Anson the past week for the following breeders: E. A. Lovvern, Jack Goree, Joe Bennett and Mrs. Dixon.

The sixth annual Jones County Poultry Show catalogues are now coming off the press and will be mailed out this week. In addition to the large cash prizes there are 60 special prizes to be given to exhibitors. This Poultry Show is acknowledged by breeders from all over the State as being the biggest show in this part of the State and has grown yearly since its start. Last year a total of 400 birds were entered and indications point to an even greater number this year due to the fact that all old exhibitors will be back and a large number of exhibitors who have not entered birds in the show before. Main aim of the show is to encourage the breeding and raising of better chickens in this section.

At a "Use More Cotton" meeting in the court house Saturday afternoon, presided over by Floyd Lynch and Miss Gladys Martin, a number were present and several ways of using more cotton were discussed.

Judge Roy McDonald of Dallas has been secured as judge of the Poultry Show to be held at Anson December 14, 15 and 16. He is one of the best known judges in the State.

Dates for the annual Cowboys' Christmas Ball have been set for Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, December 21, 22, and 23rd.

Hamlin has secured twice as many Red Cross members this year as was the case last year, according to reports by W. E. Benson, secretary of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce.

Miss Nancy O'Neal spent part of last week with Miss Mildred George of Aspermont.

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TEXAS GRADUATE

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On Thanksgiving Day

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The First Ripple of County Politics Heard

Sunday afternoon a spry young man whose name is Young, was taking in the sights on Hamlin's Main street.

Clarence had a peculiar "howdy" and his old friends at first thought he was just happy to be back in Hamlin. You see, Clarence formerly clerked in a Hamlin dry goods store and is now with the Bonner Store in Anson, and is a Boyd Chapel chap, but it was not long till he intimated he was thinking of running for a county office—perhaps Treasurer. And in the future you may see CLARENCE YOUNG handing out cards.

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Fisher County Women Are Doing Their Part For Home Comfort

(Jewell Hipp—County H. D. Agent)

"The success of making a mattress is in beating it," stated Miss Jewell Hipp to the ladies of the Dowell community, which met in the home of Mrs. W. H. Hitson Friday, Nov. 17th.

"In making a mattress, care should be taken to have the corners properly filled. The cotton should be placed in the ticking in layers in order to have a even smooth bed. After the mattress is completed, it should not be used for two weeks, but should be sunned and beaten every day for two weeks in order for the fibers in the cotton to knit more securely."

Covered dishes were served at noon to the following: Mmes. A. W. Thomas, J. C. Kinney, E. P. Havins, Misses Edna B. Yantis, Jewell Hipp, Mamie Carol Smith, and Mr. Hitson and Mr. Havins, hostess and several children.

"Comfortable, healthy sleep is largely dependent on a good mattress," stated Jewell Hipp, County Home Demonstration Agent to the people of the Hitson community at the home of Mrs. J. R. Holland, on November 20th.

"The mattress should be sufficiently firm to support the body, yet it should be yielding enough to conform to every curve of the body," she continued.

Fifty pounds of cotton is used in the mattress and ten yards of ticking is required for the tick which had been made by Mrs. Holland before the day for the mattress making day. The men in this community aided in

no small way in the beating of the mattress. Laying of the cotton in layers which just meet but do not lap is one important step in making a mattress. Every farm family in Fisher county should make or buy a cotton mattress to help use up the surplus cotton. This will assist in making the "Cotton Christmas" a success. Sixteen-attended the meeting.

In making a mattress while the cotton is being beaten to distribute and to knit the fibers together it has been found it is easier to bring the top of the tick over the cotton and pin with safety pins along the edges will hold it securely. This is really better than having people to hold the edges as often it is not held tightly enough to keep the cotton from becoming cut in places. Jewell Hipp, County H. D. Agent told the members of the North Border Line Home Demonstration Club at the home of Mrs. D. L. Klipper, Nov. 24th.

"Repeat the beating and testing for even distribution until sure that the cotton is evenly peeked," she said.

Fifty pounds of cotton from a round bale was used in making the mattress at Mrs. Klipper's home. This made it easy to unroll the cotton in fairly even layers and eliminated the difficulty of having to pack the cotton in so many places as fewer thin places occurred. The tick was made from ten yards of 8 oz. ticking. The resulting tick was 74 inches long and 54 inches wide which is the average size for a bed.

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LET IT OUT

"I've been putting on weight and this dress suit is rather too tight for me. Could you let it out a bit?" said a man to his friend, who did a little tailoring in his spare time. "I've never done such a thing," was the reply, "but I'll see what I can do."

A week later the owner of the suit telephoned to see how his friend was getting on with it.

"Better than I expected," said the friend. "I've let it out to four men already."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

All But

"Ah, old fellow," said a man meeting a friend in the street, "so you are married at last. Allow me to congratulate you, for I hear you have an excellent and accomplished wife."

"I have, indeed," was the reply. "Why, she's perfectly at home in literature, at home in music, at home in art, at home in science—in short, she's at home everywhere except—"

"Except what?"

"Except at home."—Tit-Bits Magazine.

NOTHING DOING



Mother—Did the young man strike you forcibly, Ruth?

Ruth—Why, of course not, mother—no gentleman would strike a lady!

Safe Choice

While traveling through Europe a fighter got into an argument with a Frenchman. Digging into his pocket the Frenchman handed the American a card.

"We will settle this on the field of honor," he cried. "Choose your weapons!"

The pug gulped.

"Boxing gloves," he replied finally. "At 50 paces!"

Stenographer's Delight

"I've an invention at last that will mean a fortune!"

"What is it this time?"

"Why, it's an extra key for a typewriter. When you don't know how to spell a word you hit that key, and it makes a blur that might be an 'e,' an 'a' or almost anything else you like."

Morning After

Telephone Voice—Hello.

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Telephone Voice—How are you this morning?

Telephone Voice—All right.

Telephone Voice—Sorry, wrong number.—Columbia Jester.

Good Testimonials

Foreman—Do you think you're fit for really hard labor?

Applicant—Well, some of the best judges in the country have thought so.—The Rail.

Best Wishes

Ted—I had a fight with the boy next door.

Father—I knew it. His father came to my office today to see about it.

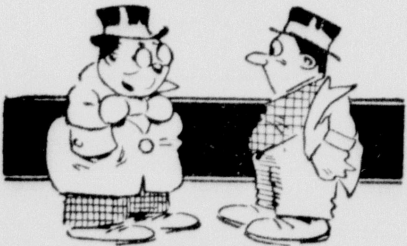
Ted—Well, I hope you came out as well as I did.—Exchange.

Cosmetically Speaking

"How do you manage to keep your girlish complexion?"

"I don't keep all of it," answered Miss Cayenne. "My maids purloin at least 50 per cent of it."

CLASSIFICATION



"Did you call that coal dealer an old fossil?"

"I did."

"Then to what geological age does he belong?"

"The carboniferous, of course."

Wrong Play

Jimmy—Too bad about Alford wrecking his car last night, especially with his girl along.

Norman—Did something go wrong with his car?

Jimmy—Yes, too much play at the wheel.

NO HURRY

The English professor lectured on the distribution of world population. He mentioned that only in the West Indies were males in excess of females.

"A happy state of affairs," he said playfully. "Not unlike the state which existed in this community of ours before women undergraduates were admitted."

At this point several women students, affecting to be offended, rose to leave the class.

"One moment, please," said the lecturer. "There is no occasion to go yet; the next boat for the West Indies doesn't leave for another week."—Stray Stories Magazine.

ON ITS WAY



Gas Bill Collector—How long is this bill going to run?

Consumer—Can't just say. With its 2,000 feet it ought to be able to run a long time.

Great Stuff

Dr. Stitcher—Ah, you are looking very much better today, Mr. Wimpus.

Wimpus—Yes, Doc, I followed the instructions on that bottle of medicine you gave me.

Dr. Stitcher—Indeed. That is fine. But let me see—what were they?

Wimpus—Keep the bottle well corked.

Logical Conclusion

Bore—Last year in Paris I met a man who lives in the same street as I do. Later on I met him in Venice, then in Rome, again in Alexandria, and, finally, I crossed the channel with him on the way home. Now, what do you think of that?

Fed-up Listener—Why didn't you pay him what you owed him in the first place?

Chinese Credited With Discovery of Australia

Chinese discovered Australia in 1420, according to Dr. W. G. Goddard.

He told the Queensland branch of the Royal Geographical society, that he was translating records which showed Chinese first landed in western Australia in that year, traveled right round the continent, and made a perfect porcelain map of it.

In 1420 Emperor Yung Lo, of China, sent thousands of junks with 30,000 soldiers to Ceylon, which at that time belonged to China, and which had failed to pay its tribute. From records found the junks went together as far as Sumatra, where they were parted by violent storms.

Some sailed on to Ceylon, but about 700 were driven south, and swept on to the northwest of western Australia.

The records were called Ying Sung Ti Tien, after Emperor Ying Sung, who succeeded Yung Lo, and they dated back to 1430. Part of the records was destroyed during the Boxer rebellion in 1900, but he was translating those which were left.

Polite Mongrel

Muggsy, the nine-year-old mongrel dog owned by Ada White of Evansville, Ind., is more than just a mutt. First among his accomplishments is the ability to drink from a bottle. He accompanies his mistress to a soft-drink stand and waits patiently for the bottle. When she hands it to him, he wraps his forelegs around it and drinks directly from it. No straw or saucer is necessary. When he enters a room, he remembers to close the door.

Native 'Doctors' Union

Native "doctors" of South Africa have formed a union to gain official recognition and regulate their work. At a hearing in Pretoria, Charlie Dhlaminie, assistant secretary of the association, testified that the plan was to protect the members in the courts and to revive ancient native practices. One of the exhibits at the trial was a book of rules "governing Bantu doctors," which fixed the charge "for throwing bones" at 62 cents.

Success is a habit. So is safety.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS

(By BOYCE HOUSE)

The "old joke" contest seems to have nearly got lost in the shuffle, so we'll trot out several entries this week to fatten the batting average.

A schoolboy was asked, "How much is eight times eight?" He answered, "Sixty-four," and the teacher said, "Good." The boy retorted, "Good, h - - - ! It's perfect."

On cross-examination, a witness was asked if his story wasn't different from the way he told it right after the matter occurred. "Yes," he replied. "How do you explain that?" the lawyer inquired. To which the witness responded, "I was talkin' then; I'm swearin' now."

And, of course, you remember the one about the two churches, close together—one congregation singing, "Will There Be Any Stars in My Crown?" and the other congregation singing, "No, Not One."

Two darkies were arguing about which was the better dancer. One said, "Why, boy, I wuz born dancin' ", to which the other rejoined, "Yas, and youse gwine to die dancin'—at de end ob a rope."

That boy who comes whistling along leaving a newspaper on the doorstep may be destined for brilliant achievement—for his is a calling that requires energy, intelligence, courtesy, good humor; in short, he is a young business man.

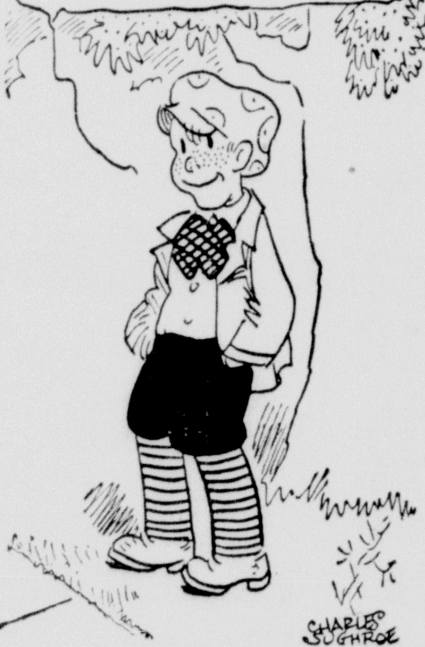
When this columnist was editor in Eastland, one of the carriers was a smiling little fellow named Milburn McCarty, Jr. He has since graduated from Dartmouth with high honors, worked on the New York Herald-Tribune, served on the staff of that very clever publication, the New Yorker, and is now a member of the organization headed by Steve Haggan, earth's greatest press agent, who tells the world about China, Sun Valley, St. Petersburg, cabbages and kings.

Another one who carried papers in Eastland was a long-legged youth named Joe Thomas Cook. Seeing him one day rushing down the corridor of an office building with giant strides as he left papers be-

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hind as fast as a magnolia tree can shed leaves, I felt impelled to write a paragraph about him. The paragraph was written and I soon forgot about it but Joe T. Cook (who became editor of the Daily Texan at the State University and is now editor and publisher of the paper in beautiful Mission), has never forgotten—he reminded me of the writeup the last time I was in the Lower Rio Grande Valley and marveled at the numerous loving cups and silver shields his paper had won in State Contests.

See where Judge Frank S. Roberts of Breckenridge has been appointed to the Board of Public Welfare by Governor O'Daniel. Judge Roberts is a personal friend of this commentator and is a splendid gentleman. He was district judge when the United States entered the World War and he resigned from the bench to join the Army. Afterward, he went through the great Breckenridge oil boom and he tells many interesting stories of those stirring days.

Harley Sadler, West Texas showman, says he isn't figuring on making the race for Congress. His tent

theatre troupe is in Waco for a two weeks' run, ending Dec. 2, and he reports the season has been good.

Speaking of showmen, Brann Garner, the Ranger theatre manager, tells me he has a cat that eats pancakes. Every morning, for a good while the cat appeared at a cafe at 9 a. m. but the other day when the hot cakes were placed in front of him, the cat sniffed, turned up his nose and stalked out. The cafe had changed cooks!

Who says animals don't think? (Or is it merely that Mr. Garner has a luxuriant imagination?)

Ever stop to think how powerless words sometimes are? There are occasions when speech is only the tinkling of a cymbal and silence is the truest eloquence.

Two men were friends, of the type of Damon and Pythias. Both were of splendid character—in fact, one of them was as noble a man as I have ever known but he had a brother who was a black sheep. This brother embezzled a large amount of money and fled. The story was emblazoned in newspaper headlines.

As soon as the other man read it,

he felt that he must go to his friend to comfort him. On the way to his office, he decided what his first words would be and what else he would say.

But when they were face to face the words were forgotten; the man whom he had come to see stood there searching his countenance to see whether his old friend was still his friend in view of the cloud over the family name and the public clamor. There was a moment when they stood motionless, then the visitor, without a word, held out his hand and in that silent, firm handshake from the heart, there was expressed all that needed to be said.



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Clubs-Society

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Mrs. Frank Lawlis Hostess to Club

Mrs. Frank Lawlis was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter Club, entertaining in her home Thursday afternoon.

Members responded to roll call with a short sketch of the life of a famous painter. During the afternoon names were drawn and plans were made for the Christmas party.

At the refreshment hour date nut pie and coffee were served to Mmes. L. H. McBride, A. A. Hackley, W. R. Wilkerson, Z. T. Wilson, Harold Bonner, Joe McCrary, R. B. Wiar, B. B. Campbell and Hubert Morton.

Victor Honored With Six O'Clock Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carter, who reside just east of Hamlin, honored Mr. Carter's sister, Mrs. Starkey of Honey Grove, Texas, with a six o'clock dinner on the evening of November 25, the day being the birthday of Mrs. Starkey.

The honoree was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts.

Following the dinner games of "42" were played.

Those who enjoyed the happy occasion were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carter, and daughter, Rosezell, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Carter and son; Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Carter, Weldon and Buster Carter; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Howard and son of Anson; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Carter and son, the honoree, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Starkey, Mrs. Bill Martin and son, and Miss Charlotte James of Honey Grove.

—Contributed

Mrs. R. L. Carter Entertained Club

The Busy Bee Quilting Club met in the home of Mrs. R. L. Carter on November 22nd, with twenty-four members and three visitors. Three quilts were quilted and hemmed during the day for a needy family of the community. One of the quilts was a gift from the Club. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. The next meeting will be on Dec. 6th in the home of Mrs. Bryant Agnew. At this time we are going to have a Christmas tree and each one is asked to bring a gift for the tree.

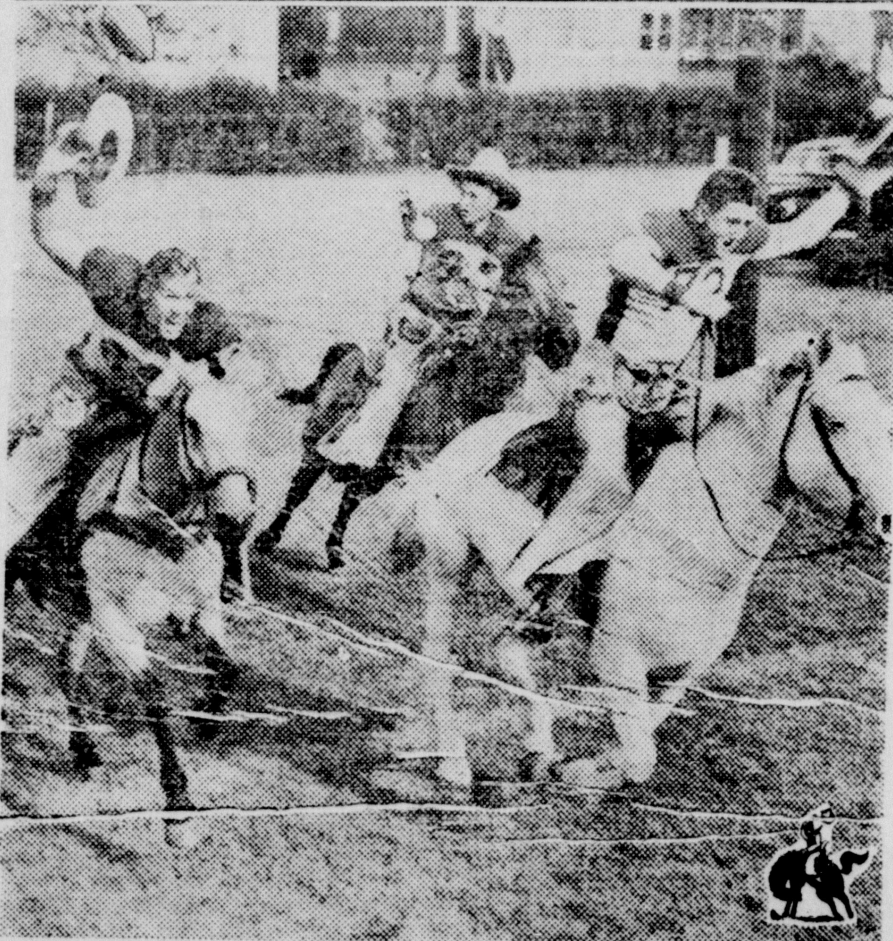
Trece Senoras Club Entertained Tuesday

A Thanksgiving theme was featured in decorations and appointments, Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. E. Akers when she was hostess to the Trece Senoras Club. Games of bridge were played with Mrs. Bill Rountree holding high score.

A salad course with individual pumpkin pies and coffee was served.

Those present were Mmes. Frank Lawlis, Raymond Jones, Otis Hopper, L. H. McBride, Vera Nobles, R. B. Wiar, Roy Gilbreath, Bill Rountree, Clinton Barrow, M. T. Hudson, Willard Maberry, and C. F. Butcher.

H-SU Cowboys Play Football on Horseback



Football as she might be played in the Southwest's cowboy country is illustrated by this trio of Coach Frank Kimbrough's hard riding Hartz-Simmons University Cowboys, in their home corral, at Abilene, Texas. Riding interference in the front rank are Bulldog Turner, All-American center nominee, left, and Joe Pee, veteran tackle, right. In the rear, Owen Goodnight, Rancher triple threat star, has just unseated an aerial.

China's Seaports Are Foreign Strongholds

China's coastal ports are the oldest strongholds of foreign interest in the country. When the Chinese empire less than a century ago first allowed aliens to take up legal residence, the cities opened by the treaty of Nanking were the ports of Shanghai, Canton, Amoy, Foochow and Ningpo.

The exclusiveness of haughty mandarins who originally pushed foreign merchants off into special quarters of busy ports has had results not foreseen by those rulers: it has dotted China with miniature foreign cities, flying foreign flags, policed by foreign troops, and governed under foreign laws. The largest is the International Settlement at Shanghai, where about half of China's foreign trade is funneled into circulation. Since the opening of the city to western commerce, it has mushroomed from a fishing village to one of the 10 largest cities of the globe. Land now is valuable enough to be bargained for by the square foot.

The second largest foreign zone is in Tientsin, where British, French, Japanese, and Italian towns have grown up within those countries' respective concessions. On the island of Shameen in Canton, the foreign colonies are divided between the British and French concessions. Nine nations have consulates there. At Amoy, the International Settlement on Kulangsu serves 11 different nationalities. Hankow, which just before the war jostled Peiping for fourth place among China's foreign centers, has a French and a Japanese concession, while the ex-British concession is a special administrative area. Some 18 or 20 cities show traces of this official segregation of foreigners.

In concessions, the land is leased in perpetuity to foreign governments, but China retains certain rights; control is officially in the hands of the consul of the leasing nation, although the actual mechanism of the administration is usually run by an administrative council of taxpayers. Other governments may obtain space from the controlling consul for consulates within his concession; the American consulate general at Hankow, for instance, is in the French concession.

Settlements, as distinguished from concessions, are not leased. China reserves the settlement zone for foreign occupation, but titles to the land are carried on Chinese registers. Administration of municipal affairs of these alien towns varies widely; from Shanghai's International Settlement, which foreign authorities control almost completely, to Yunnan-fu, where in the foreign area, not legally opened until 1930, the residents have practically no control.

Don't try to blow a pedestrian off the street with your horn.

HEALTH NOTES

"The season for the unusual prevalence of tularemia is again at hand" warns Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Reports show that this disease, commonly known as 'rabbit fever,' is increasing at this time, due in large part to direct exposure to wild rabbits in the hunting or dressing of the animals.

"Invariably, tularemia cases are reported more frequently during the hunting season than at any other time. While the disease is caused by a germ found in various kinds of infected rodents, and can be acquired, among other ways, through bites of ticks, deer flies, stable flies, and squirrels, it is most frequently transmitted to man in this section of the United States by infected wild rabbits hence the name 'rabbit disease.'

"The common method of transmission is through wounds or small abrasions, sometimes minute, on the hands of those cleaning or otherwise handling rabbit carcasses; in this manner the germs reach the human blood stream, symptoms developing in from one to ten days. The victim suddenly complains of headache, has body pains, chills, fever and vomits. The fever, which may run high, usually lasts two or three weeks. Convalescence is slow. Death occurs in approximately 5 per cent of the cases.

"The above facts indicate that hunters should not kill slow-moving rabbits. Healthy wild rabbits do not carry. Also, for those who dress rabbits, it is advisable to use rubber gloves. The suggestion applies equally to hunters and housewives. It is the one safe defense against acquiring tularemia from this source.

"There is no desire to imply that most wild rabbits harbor the tularemia germ. Compared to the total rabbit population, the infected rabbit decidedly is in the minority. On the other hand, the number of infected animals is sufficiently large in the aggregate not to take any undue chances.

"Incidentally, it may be added that thoroughly cooked rabbit meat, even though the animal had been infected from tularemia, is harmless and perfectly safe food. Consequently, those who enjoy this game need have no qualms about consuming it."

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Jewelry — Hamlin

J. T. DeHart of Waco came up Monday to visit his daughter, Mrs. C. A. Carter and family of the Flat Top community.

Mrs. W. H. Harrison and daughter, Lucile, left Monday for Wichita Falls where they will make their home.

Headachy, Breath Bad? Make This Check-Up

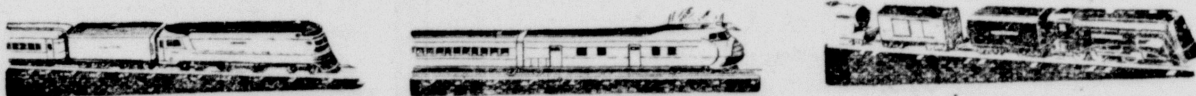
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(By PAULINE MABERRY)

Uncle Si Griffin, father of Jack Griffin and Mrs. Lee Hendon, died at Mrs. Hendon's home Tuesday morning at 2:00. Uncle Si has been living among his children of McCaulley and Eden, Texas. Many of his friends are saddened by his death and will miss his cheery disposition and humorous remarks and jokes.

Uncle John Rector has been quite ill the past few weeks. He had a relapse Saturday and seems to be a little weaker.

Rev. Cecil Ottinger is the new Methodist pastor of McCaulley. A large congregation gathered at the church Sunday for services.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Madden, Mrs. Hollis Madden, Frankie Sue, Manon Jayroe, and Lewis Earl Madden went to Houston last Friday to visit Lloyd and his wife, the former Opha Green of Sylvester. They came back Monday morning and reported that Lloyd and wife were getting along fine.

The Senior basketball girls have won three ball games already. The Senior boys have won one, this being their first of the season. The Junior boys have played only one game and lost it.

Mrs. Windom and daughter, Betty, of Abilene, visited Betty Jo Abbott Sunday.

The children and grandchildren of Mrs. Della Fancher surprised her with a birthday dinner Sunday. Mrs. Fancher is sixty-seven years young.

Many useful and pretty gifts were presented to the honoree. Those

present were: Mrs. Ula Mustain, Ivan and Charlene, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Fancher, Wanda, Wilda Jean, and Winna Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Abbott and Betty Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Fancher, Mrs. W. H. Barton, and Marnie Ray, Jim Fancher, Mrs. Wilma Rice and Hoylene, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Maberry and Jo Nelle, Grandma Young, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young and Happy McCombs.

SPENCER LUMBER CO. ROBBED
The Spencer Lumber Co. of McCaulley was looted Tuesday night of the past week.

A truck was backed up to the back door and several hundred dollars worth of merchandise taken. The safe door was blasted off but only \$9.00 in cash was taken.

Entrance to the building was gained through a window, which was pried open.

Mrs. Sid Hemphill has been in

Eureka, Ark., the past two weeks. She is being treated for cancer. She has been feeling fine, and the cancer has started healing. She is expected to be back home in a few more weeks.

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